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► Vol.11 Tokumi!! Lightning speed!













HE DIDN'T
SAY ANY-
THING
ELSE ..

...TOLD ME AM
TO DEFEAT
THE BOY ON
AKUMA'S
DOWNBELL...



HE
WANTED
YOU TO DEFEAT



WHAAAT??



WELL...
I WON'T
KNOW
UNLESS
I'VE
TRIED,
BUT...

CAN
YOU
WIN?



ONCE
BEFORE IT

HE
HURT HIM.



I DID HURT
HIM ONCE
BEFORE...



CAN
NEVER
MIND,
JUST
TALKING
TO
MYSELF...

WHA?



IF YOU
JUST
LET ME
I'LL MAKE
SURE
TO WIN

I WANT
A FULL
YEAR OF
YOUR
BLOOD
ON THE
GO...



YOU
IDiot!!

TAKLEHIM!
YOU
DUST-HEAD!



Take
it
easy





クッ

IF YOU
LET THIS
ANOTHER
ATTACK
AWAY'S
DOWNHILL,
HE'LL
CRASH
AND BURN
FOR SURE!!

FROM
THE
CLOUD

WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING
DIE'ARD-
BASTARD?

I'LL
MEET
THE
DOWNHILL
ATTACK
TO YOU!!

TAKUM
WOON'T
CRASH...

IT'S OK,
TAKUM...
YOU DO
WATCH
FROM THE
SIDELINE

I'M
COUNTING
ON YOU

THANKS
FOR
COMING
TAKUM
WENT IN
YOUR
BEST





4A-GEU Dats

ALL UNKNOWN

See other units in series



RE 138T Dats

Sports muffler

Digital boost controller

Sequential adapter

Sports computer

Boost: 1.0kg/cm² - 2

Max output: 350ps

(estimated)



IT'S
FINALLY
BEGIN,
THE REAL
ALL-OUT
DRIVING!!

THEY'RE
OFF!!



AND HIS
CLUTCH-
MEET IS
PERFECT!!



IT'S FAST!!
INCREDIBLY
FAST!!
TAKASHI
KEISUKE'S
PD'S BRUSH
ARENT JUST
FOR SHOW

THE GAP
WILL BE
HUGE
BEFORE
THEY ENTER
THE FIRST
CORNER!!



THIS IS NO
MATCH. THE
EIGHT-BOX'S
FULL
THROTTLE
LOOKED
LIKE IT WAS
STANDING
STILL IN
COMPARISON!



THE GAP
WILL JUST
KEEP
WIDENING
AS THEY
ENTER THE
CORNER!!

FINALLY,
THE PD IS
STARTING
TO CORNER
MACHES!!



I WON'T HOLD
BACK! I WON'T
SEE YOU IN MY
BACK MIRROR
AGAIN!



I DON'T
LIKE PULLING
AWAY ON THE
STRAIGHTS
BUT THIS
IS A TURN-
ATTACK...





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Vol.11 Takumi! Lightning speed! END



Vol.12 Dogfight!











I'VE
SOMEHOW
PULLED
THROUGH
UNDER-
LEVERALLY
PAST!!



IT'S
ENTERING
THE
CORNER
AT INCRE-
DIBLE
SPEED
WHILE
SLIDING- ITS
REAR OUT...

IT'S
INCRE-
DIBLY
WHAT
IS THAT
EIGHT-
SECT?



OOOH!!

I HAD
NO IDEA
THERE
WAS
SUCH A
GREAT
DRIVER
AT
JAPAN!!



MAKES ME
SHIVER
JUST TO
LOOK
AT HIM





Peak,
starting
point.



JOINT...
WAS IS
HELP



SO THAT
JOINT-GIR
IS FAR
FROM THE
MONSTER
KID'S
SPOT OF...

JUDGING
BY THE
STARTING
DASH IT
DOES AT
BEST
NOON.



WITH THAT,
SECOND DEAR
SHOULD FIT
JOINT RIGHT
FOR ARMY'S
TIGHT HANDING

THE SHIPING
POINT IS EARLY
BECAUSE IT WAS
A DAILY-TIME
TRANSMISSION

THEM THAT
ALIST MEAN
THE DRIVER
OF THAT
EIGHT-SEK
IS BEYOND
ANY COMPARI-
SON...

STILL, I CAN
SEE NO
REASON WHY
KIDNAPERS
WOULD
LOSE...



BUT THE
DRIVER...?

SO THE
MONSTER
HUNT THE
CAR...





WHAT'S
HAPPENING?
I CAN'T
THINK
STRAIGHT
...!!

HE'S
CAUGHT
UP...!!





HE'S
GAMING
ON THE
FP IN THE
CORNERS
??



WOOOW!
WHAT'S
HAPPENING
??



IS THERE
SUCH A GUY
AT ACADEMY?

DID ANYONE
KNOW
WHO HE IS?



JUST WHAT
THE HELL
IS THAT
EIGHT-
SIX?

THE
TAKAHASHI
BROTHERS,
FASTEST
ON AKAGI,
HAVING
TROUBLE
AGAINST
AN EIGHT-
SIX?



THE DIFFERENCE
IN ACCELERATION
IS ENOUGH TO
OPEN THE GAP
WIDE AS SOON
AS THERE'S A
STRAIGHT...

THE
ENTRY
TO SECOND-
GEAR IS
EQUAL,
BUT...



COME IN,
COME IN...
THIS IS THE
FIRST MID-
POINT, THE
STRAIGHT
BY THE
SPARKING
RING!





THIS IS
INCREDIBLE!!

THIS IS THE
STARTING
POINT...

RIGHT'S
LEFT



DO YOU
RECALL
ANY?



I JUST DON'T
UNDERSTAND
THIS!! THE
EIGHT-SEC
DRIVING FOR
APRIL IS
WAY FAST!

BOTH
CARS
JUST
PASSED
BY, AND
KEISUKE
IS BEING
PUSHED!!



I'VE NEVER
SEEN ANYONE
PUSH
KEISUKE'S PP
THAT CLOSE
IN THE
CORNERS...

IT'S A
MAJOR
SHOCK!!



!!

...!!

TT







COULDN'T
HE HAVE
ANY SENSE
OF FEAR
FOR THE
DOWNSHELL?

THAT
GUY'S
USING AN
INCREDIBLE
ENTRY-
STEERING
FLAREKITE
TECHNIQUE!

WHAT
AN
ENTRY!!



DRIVE
AROUND
DIFFICULT
DOWNSHELL
THAT
FAST!

I'VE
NEVER
SEEN
ANYONE
DO
THAT!



RIGHT-
SIDES
ARE
JUST RIGHT
FOR
DRIFTING!!

HE'S
JUST
SO VERY
COOL!!
WOW!





I GUESS
I'LL HAVE
TO DO
"THAT".

THAT DAMN
OLD MAN
PROBABLY
WON'T ADMIT
I WON
UNLESS I
OVERTAKE
HIM...

THAT
DRIVER'S
PRETTY
GOOD...

THE GUY'S
SMALLER
THAN
BEFORE...





THE FIVE
CONTINUOUS
BUSTERS
CLIMBING
ALREADY

THE
CHAL-
LENGE
POINT
IS...



SECOND
REPORT.
DO YOU
KNOW
ANY?

THIS
IS THE
POINT



WE CAN HEAR
THEM ALREADY
THEY'RE JUST
ABOUT TO
ENTER THE
FIVE HARPINS!!

OK, THEY
SHOULD
BE HERE
SOON!



REPORT
THE
SITUATION
AS CARE-
FULLY AS
YOU CAN...

THEY
SHOULD
BE
REACHING
YOU
SOON





SO THE FACT
THAT HE'S
CLOSING IN
ABOUT AHEAD
I'M LOOKING
IN THE
CORNER-
WORK?



ON THE
STRAIGHTS,
I'M
FASTER!

IS THE
WORST
HUMILI-
ATION A
STREET-
RACER
COULD
FACE!!



BEING
PLACED
IN THE
CORNER
BY A
LESS
POWERFUL
CAR...

I WON'T
ADMIT
THAT
EVEN IF
IT KILLS
ME!!



HAS THAT
DAMN
SECONDARY
TURBINE
STOPPED
OR
SOME-
THING?



WHY DOES
MY FD
FEEL SO
DAMN
SLOW
TODAY?!



WHY?
THE GAP IS
SHORTER
THAN I
THOUGHT!

THIS
IS THE
SECOND
MOVIE
DON'T
THROW
HERE!

Park,
starting
line.





G A A A H !!



SORRY—
I WAS
JUST
A BIT
SLEEPY

WHAT'S
THE
MATTER?
DON'T
SAY
ME!



GOH!
HE'S
ALMOST
TOUCHING
THE
GUARD-
RAIL!!

HE'S
GOOD
AT
EXITING
TOO!



IT'S
DOWNHILL
BREAKING
DRIFT IS
PERFECT!
KEISUKE IS
LOSING IN
THE ENTRY

THIS IS
INCREDIBLE.
WHAT IS
THE RIGHT-
GUY?





THE FORD IS
GOING FOR
THE OUTSIDE
TRACK FOR
THE NEXT
HARLEM...
AND THE
EIGHT-SIX...

BOTH
CARS
ARE
COMING
OUT AT
FULL
THROTTLE
!!

OOH!



WHAT
THE
FLICK
IS HE
THINKING
??

HE'S NOT
SEE. HOW
DEFTLY
THE
HAPPEN
...??

DID HIS
BRANKS
GO OUT
OR SOME-
THING?

THE
EIGHT-
DOX IS
ENTERING
AT A
TERRIBLE
OVER-
SPEED!!

This could
only end
in a
disaster
outside
man!!

Taken
enters the
corner of
what is
obviously
over speed!!

BUT
...!!





WHAT THE
HELL JUST
HAPPENED?



HE
FAGGED
HIM !!



TELL US
ALREADY
WHY HE
CHASED
IT

STOP
SPOILING
ME AND
EXPLAIN
WHAT
JUST
HAPPENED



OOOH!!





I DON'T UNDER-
STAND IT

WHAT JUST
HAPPENED?



DON'T UNDER-
STAND WHAT
HAPPENED

EVEN WE HAD
WHEEL
WATCHING



BUT THAT EIGHT-
SEK DID SOME-
ONE TURN BEHIND THE
TOUGH INSIDE LINE,
ALMOST LIKE A
ROLLER COASTER...

I MEAN, A CAR
CAN'T TURN AT
A HIGHER
SPEED THAN
THE TRAIN'S
CRUISE...



AND IT
COULD
ONLY
HAPPEN
HERE ON
AGORA...

IT'S A
BUILT
THING, BUT
NOBODY
COULD
COPY IT...



WHAT THAT
EIGHT-SEK
DID...

I SAW
IT...



I'LL BE
THE ONE
TO DEFEAT
HIM

ARMED
DOWNHILL
SPECIALIST

NOW I
HAVE ONE
THING TO
LOOK
FORWARD
TO...

THERE
IS A GREAT
POOL
IN THIS
WORLD

NOT
AFTER
BEING
SLAMMED
DOWN
SOME-
THING
THAT
WOULDN'T

I DON'T
CARE
ABOUT
THE
UPHILL

BUT THE
UPHILL
ATTACK
HASN'T
COME
YET?

ARE YOU
LEAVING
ALREADY,
TAKESHIGAKI?

EVEN IF
THEY'RE FASTER
ON THE UPHILL,
WHERE IT'S THE
CARD'S POWER
THAT COUNTS,
I DON'T RECOGNIZE IT.

THE RED
SLING WILL
PROBABLY
WIN UPHILL,
BUT THERE'S
NO ONE-
WIN-ONE-
LOSS-DRAMA...

THE
RED-SHIRT
LOST
TODAY'S
EXCHANGE!!

YOU'RE NO REAL
MOUNTAIN-RIDGE
STREETRACER
UNLESS YOU'RE
FAST DOWNHILL!





AND HE
HAD A 7
SECOND
GAP...
SEVEN
SECONDS !!

REMOON
LOST! THE
SPEED STARS
FINISH-ERS
REACHED
THE FINISH
FIRST!



THIS
IS THE
FINISH
LINE!
DO YOU
HEAR ME,
REMOON?
I DON'T
BELIEVE
IT!

COME
ON,
COME
ON!



IS HE
STILL
THERE?

WHAT
ABOUT THE
DRIVER OF
THE BOUNTY-
STAR?

HE SEAT HIM
CLEARLY..



7
SECONDS
...!!



!!!!

!!



HE JUST
WENT ON
AND LEFT
WITHOUT
STOPPING...
MAKING A
NOISE SOUND...

NO...

THAT
FOOL
TAKUMI!!



HE
WON!
IKETANI-
SEMPAI!!

HAAAAAAA!

I JUST
CAN'T
HELP
MYSELF,
I'M SO
HAPPY...



HE DID
IT!
IKETANI,
DON'T
CRY, YOU
IDOT!

I CAN'T
EVEN
THINK
STRAIGHT!



THIS IS
JUST TOO
GREAT! I'M
GETTING
GOOD-
BUMPS...

AW,
LEAVE
THAT
TO ME,
IKETANI-
SEMPAI!



LET'S PUT
A SPEED
STERO
ON HIS
FRONT-
END
WITHOUT
ABANDON!

LINE'S,
AND
SHIFT
CONTROL,
AND GO
ON...



FROM
NOW ON
WE'LL
HAVE TO
HAVE IAN
TEACH US
STUFF...

I
FEEL
ONLY

I UNDER-ESTIMATED AKIRA... I WOULDN'T HAVE THOUGHT THERE WAS SO SKILLED A DRIVER ON THIS ARCADE MOUNTAIN...

WELL, A LOSS IS A LOSS... THERE'S NO USE CRYING IT

AAAAA!!!

THAT THE UNDERPLATED RED SLING LOST TO AKIRA'S RIGHT-SIX...

BY TOMORROW, THIS BLAOUR WILL HAVE SPREAD AMONG ALL THE STREETRACERS IN SUNRA.

LOSING WITH THESE BIG GALLERIES REALLY HURTS...

WITH MY FGT!

WELL, FINE WE'LL GET OUR REVENGE SOON...

THAT'S WHAT WE GET FOR GATHERING THESE GALLERIES TO SHOW OURSELVES OFF...

By Mt.
Aida's
five
confusion
hologram.

A few
hours
later.

IT
WAS
THE
MIST...

JUST THINKING
OF IT... MAKES
ME SHIVER.
HE MIGHT BE A
REAL GHOST,
BRO...

I JUST
DON'T GET IT...
HOW COULD
THE EIGHT-6X
TURN FASTER
THAN ME ON
THE INSIDE
LINE ..

WHY
YOU
LOST
...?

SHALL
I TELL
YOU ..

I'VE
SOLVED
THE
MYSTERY

...HOLLY...

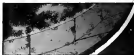
► Vol.14 The ocean is so big and wide!





WHY YOU
LOST IT?

SHALL I TELL
YOU?



USED
THE

THE
DRIVER
OF THE
RIGHT-
ONE



IT'S THE
OTHER

DON'T
YOU
GET IT?



2

THE OTHER
ONE





THIS MAKES IT
THEORETICALLY
POSSIBLE
TO OBTAIN
CONSIDERABLE
FORCE
EXERCISING
THE TIEIN'S
DEEP...

HE SLIPPED
HIS INSIDE
TIEIN INTO
THE DEBRIS
DITCH ON
PURPOSE TO
HOLD ON AS
A COUNTER
TO THE
CENTRAL
FORCE...



HE WON'T
BE VERY
FAMILIAR
WITH
ARIMA...

HE'S
PROBABLY
PRACTICED
THIS A LOT.



IT'S
DEFINITELY
NOT SOME-
THING YOU
COULD JUST
SUDDENLY
DECIDE TO
TRY, IT
WOULD BE
TOO DANGEROUS.

THIS IS
SUCH A
SIMPLE
IDEA, IT'S
ALMOST
STUPID,
BUT...



I THINK
I FINALLY
HAVE A
TARGET TO
GET SERIOUS
ABOUT

IT'S
BECAUSE
THESE
THINGS
CAN
HAPPEN
THE
MOUNTAIN
PASSEOS
ARE SO IN-
TERESTING...



I'LL TAKE
CARE OF
THAT BIGH-
SEX!!

LET'S POSTPONE
THE TRIP TO
MT. MYOUSHI WE
HAD PLANNED
FOR NEXT
WEEK WE
CAN'T PROCEED
UNTIL WE'VE
HAD A COM-
PLETE VICTORY
AT AGRA







TO HIM, DRIVING
A CAR SHOULD
MEAN THE
BUSINESS HE'S
BEEN FORCED
INTO IT SINCE
HE WAS A
JUNIOR HIGH
BOY...

I CAN
DRIVE
ANYWAY
I CAN'T
BE
HELPED

HE'S SO
SHALLO...



IS THAT
TODAY? I
CAN'T
BELIEVE IT!



WHEN WE
TURNED IN
AND GOT OUR
LICENSES, WE
GOT EXCITED
JUST BY
TURNING THE
ENGINE ON...



I SEE

HE JUST
DOESN'T
HAVE ANY
IMAGE OF
IT AS FUN



IT GETS
KINDA COLD,
OR SHOULD
I SAY DRY...

YEAH, THAT'S
RIGHT, BUT
TAYLOR DOESN'T
HAVE THAT
FEELING AT
ALL...



HE MIGHT
HAVE FELT
SOMETHING,
FOR THE
FIRST TIME...

BUT
YESTERDAY,
ON ARNOLD'S
DOWNFALL...



I'M NOT
GLAD, BUT
HE LEFT
EARLY THIS
MORNING.
ALL EXCITED

BY THE
WAY, THE
EIGHT-FOUR
WASN'T
THERE—
WHERE'S
TARLTON?



Karlinski
Beach,
Hogwarts.



SAY,
TARLTON—
HON—



AT DROWNING.

OCEAN,
ITS COOLER
O

YOU'RE
GOOD.





SOUND
ON FAMILY
TRIP,
THAT SORT
OF THING?

LIKE, IN
FATHER'S
CAR...



YOU
WENT TO
ALIBI
OVER
THAT?

I SAW



AM I NOT
LIKE ALL
THE TIME
ON SOME
THING.
SHEET...



WAS
STRANGE...

YESTERDAY...

PROVE LIKE I
ALWAYS DO TO
PREVENT THE
WATER FROM
SPILLING OVER.

I JUST...



BEFORE I NOTICED,
I WAS GETTING
EXCITED AS I
CHASED IT...

AS THE DX-3 IN
FRONT OF ME
GRADUALLY GOT
CLOSER...



EVEN TODAY,
I FELT GREAT
DRIVING WITH
HIGH SCHOOL
ME...

I'VE NEVER
THOUGHT
DRIVING
WAS FUN...



HEY,
LISTEN...

HEY...



KINDA
NICHE...

CARS
ARE...



HEARD?





WHO WOULD
LEAVE THIS
CUTE GIRL
ALONE AND
GO OFF INTO
THEIR OWN
WORLD?
NATURALLY...

THAT'S
BUT,
TAKUM-
KUN



YOU
WEREN'T
PAYING ANY
ATTENTION?

YOU WERE
TALKING
ABOUT
SOMETHING
WEREN'T YOU?



I WAS
ASKING IF
THERE WAS
ANY GIRL
YOU LIKED,
TAKUM-
KUN...



WHAT WERE
YOU TALKING
ABOUT?

GODDAMN,
GODDAMN!



THERE IS
ONE I'M
GODDAMN IN-
TERESTED
IN
THOUGH...



GODDAMN

NONE IN
PARTICULAR



HAS
SOMEONE
HERE'S
INTERESTED
IN...

HAVE GO
ALSO...



WELL,
WHAT
ABOUT
YOU...?



SOME
COPY
AND

WHAT'S
WITH
THAT...?

THE RUMOUR ABOUT THE EIGHT-SIX THAT DEFEATED TAKAGISHI KEISUKE HAD SPREAD WIDELY!

I'VE GOT IT PLINY OF THEM MYSELF.

WHO WAS THAT EIGHT-SIX RESEARCHER?

I'VE BEEN GETTING THE SAME QUESTION FROM VARIOUS PEOPLE ALL DAY.

NOW IT'LL BE UNREASONABLE IF WE DON'T GET TAKAHASHI TO JOIN THE SPEED STARS SOMEHOW...

I GOT KINDA EXCITED AND TOLD PEOPLE THAT EIGHT-SIX WAS THE SPEED STARS' SECRET WEAPON.

WE'VE BEEN HANDING OUT SINCE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL! I KNOW ALL ABOUT HIS WEAKNESSES AND EVERYTHING!

THAT BETTER BE TRUE, IT DOES!

I AM, AFTER ALL, HIS BEST FRIEND, HE'LL LISTEN TO ME!

DON'T GO SENSUAL LEAVING IT TO ME!

HE
HE
HE



SHOUT!
THEN
IT'S
SETTLED
!!

Just Right

THAT'S OK
IF TARIUM
JOINS, WE
CAN LET
ITSELF
JOIN TOO

THE
SPEED
STAGE!!

ON SO-
CALLEDS,
PLEASE
LET ME
JOIN
TOO!



SINCE
TARIUM HAS
A FANCY
TREND,
I'LL FIND
A BOO ON
BLACK
LEVEL - !!

I'LL CRY
AND BEG
MY FATHER
TO BE THE
GUARANTOR
AND BUY AN
EIGHT-SIX
WITH A
LOAN!!



GOOD
OF YOU
TO ASK
I'VE
DECIDED!

BUT
WILL YOU
DO
ABOUT
A CAR?



PERHAPS
EIGHT-SIX,
THAT'S NO
ORDINARY
EIGHT-SIX!

BUT,
ITSELF



WELL
THAT'S
ALL
RIGHT
BY

WELL
THAT'S
ALL
RIGHT
BY

SOME DAY,
WILL BE
KNOWN
AS THE
FASTEST
EIGHT-SIX
COMBO ON
JAPAN!!



IT'S LOVE
TO HAVE
A LOOK
AT ITS
INSIDE
SCENES.

IT MUST
HAVE SOME
INCREDIBLE
THINGS.



THAT'S RIGHT.
IT WAS
FASTER THAN
A BUMP TO
AND JUMP.



COME NOW
YOU'RE
TALKING!

RATHER THAN
THAT, WOULDN'T
YOU LIKE TO
HAVE JUST ONE
RIDE IN ITS
HAY-
HEAT GOING FULL
THROTTLE
DOWN-
HILL ON AHEAD?



I CAN'T
EVEN
IMAGINE IT.
IT MUST BE
GREATER
THAN ANY
ROLLER
COASTER.

IT'S TIME
YOU RIDE
BEYOND
YOUR EX-
PERIENCES.

His
Action.





THE RED
SHIRT
NUMBER
ONE IS
FINALLY
HERE!

IT'S
TAKA-
HARA
SHOUBUN!



THAT
WHITE
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OOOH
IT



MUST BE
REVENGE
FOR HIS
LITTLE
BROTHER,
WHAT ELSE
COULD IT
BE...

WELL,
HE HERE
AT JAPAN
...



LOOKING TO
THE RIGHT-
SIDE CORNER,
ALIST REALLY
HAVE ALERT
THEM?

AND HE'S
ALREADY
HERE...

TAKAHARA
BYCOUNSEL,
THE
FASTEST
RUN ON
WASH

GRABBY AND
COMPOSEDLY
FOLLOWING
HIS THEORY,
LOOKING REACT-
EVER TECH-
NIQUE IT
TAKES,
FASTEST NO
MATTER,
WHAT THE
CONDITIONS,
NOT LOSING
AGAINST
ANYBODY...





► Vol.15 Showdown at the peak!!





I
GUESS
I'LL
LET
HIM
CATCH
UP.

A CAR
THAT'S
FAST
ON THE
STRAIGHT
AND IS
APPROACHING.











YOU SAID
IT WAS A CRAPPY OLD
GAL, BUT MATSUKI
LIKES IT...



SAY,
TAKESHI—
HUN ...

IT'S
FINE, MY
HOUSE IS JUST
BEHIND...

OH,
WE'RE
OK?



LET'S
RIDE IF
AFTER
SOME-
TIME...
THE
TRAIN...



A
TRAIN?
...IT

IT'S A
TRAIN...



WHAT'S
IT
CALLED?

IT'S
SMALL
AND
CHEERFUL
AND CUTE





EVERYONE,
I'LL CALL
YOU AGAIN.

I HAD
PLANNED
TODAY,
TAKING
KUN.



DO
REALLY
GONNA
DO
ABOUT
IT?

CUTE,
BUT
GARY?





HE'S
KEEPING
UP PROPER-
LY...

NOT
BAD...

I GUESS THIS
IS THE LAST
FOR AN OUT-
DATED PG. NO
MATTER HOW
SKILLED THE
DRIVER!

I CAN
KEEP UP
WITH
TAKASHI
EVEN LIKE
...IT

WELL
ARE
YOU
SO
STUPID?

I'M
TAKASHI
DRIVER
OF THE
RED BIRD

Mr.
Akira
Park.







MY OTHER
CAN'T BEAT
THE RIGHT-
SIDE DOWN-
HILL...?



DON'T BE
INSULTED
I'M JUST
SAYING
WHAT I'M
THINKING

THAT'S
RIGHT
...



I'M THE
ONLY ONE
WHO CAN
BEAT HIM

I GUESS
YOU'LL
UNDER-
STAND
ONCE
YOU'VE
RACED HIM...

YOU DON'T
HAVE TO
BE THAT
SCARED
JUST
BECAUSE
YOUR
LITTLE
BROTHER
LOST. IT'S
JUST AN
EIGHT-
MILE

HMPH.
THAT'S
AREN'T
WE?





YOU HAVE
TO JOIN,
TAKING
ONCE I'LL
BE JOINING
ALONG
WITH YOU!

PLEASE,
DON'T
YOU
JOIN?

JOIN
THEY'RE
SOMEONE'S
TEAM...IT

ARE?

Spending an
evening for
somebody
else's parents.



I'M NOT
REALLY A
STREET-
RACER OR
ANYTHING...

I DON'T ALSO
JONK, BUT...
ISN'T YOUR
TEAM A TEAM OF
STREETRACERS,
SENSEI?



THERE'S
NOBODY
ON ARMS
AS FAST
AS YOU!

WHAT ARE
YOU SAYING?
IF YOU'RE
NO STREET-
RACER THEN
WHO IS?



IS IT
TRUE THAT
YOU'VE BEEN
DECLINING
TO GO TO
LIFE ACADEMY
FOR A WHILE?

WELL,
TEACHER,
I HEARD IT FROM
SENSEI,
BUT...

REALLY...



FUN
FROM OUR
LEADERS

I GUESS
SO... FIVE
YEARS AGO,
WE JUST
STARTED
JUNIOR HIGH...

IT'S NOT
SOMETHING
I COULD
LET OUT,
IS IT...?

I DON'T
KNOW THAT
WHO'D YOU
KEEP THAT
SECRET?

There's no
glory with
coming last.



Seeing, I
want you
last a minute
for a minute



EVERYONE
OVER IN RUM
OR SACK.
THAT'S
AMAZING...

SO YOU
HAVE A LOT
LONGER
EXPERIENCE
DRIVING
THAN ME...



I GOT OVER THE
NERVOUSNESS
ABOUT DRIVING
IN THE FIRST
MONTH OR SO,
AND SINCE IT
WAS EARLY
MORNING I
DON'T MEET
ANYONE...

Well...

IN
ABOUT
ONE
YEAR
TO
FOOT

HOW DID
IT FEEL
DRIVING
WITHOUT
A LICENSE
AS A
JUNIOR
HIGH
GRAD...



IT TOOK
ANOTHER
HALF A
YEAR UNTIL
I COULD
SLIDE AND
STOP AS
I WANTED...

SINCE THE
TIRES SLIDE
NATURALLY
WHEN YOU
PUSH OUT
SOME
SPEED...



TO
GOTTEN
OVER
THAT COM-
PLETELY
IN HALF
A YEAR

WELL,
THE
CURVES
WERE
SCARY
AT FIRST,
BUT...

SO I STARTED
TESTING HOW
CLOSE I COULD
GET TO THE
GUARD-RAIL
WHILE SLIDING
JUST FOR THE
BACK OF IT...

THE HIGH-
VOLTAGE
TOWARDS
SLIDING
ALONG
WHEN YOU
DO IT EVERY
DAY...



I NEVER THOUGHT
IT WAS DANGEROUS
OR ANYTHING... WHEN
I'M DOING GOOD I CAN
GET WITHIN ABOUT
ONE CENTIMETER...



NOBODY IN THEIR
RIGHT
MIND WOULD
DO SOME-
THING THAT
DANGEROUS!

HELPING THE
BUSINESS IS
TOO BORING
IF I DON'T FIND
SOMEWAY TO
MAKE IT IN-
TERESTING
LIKE THAT...



I JUST WANTED
TO GET HOME
AS QUICKLY AS
POSSIBLE SO I
WENT ALL OUT
ON THE WAY
BACK WHEN
THERE'S NO
TOFU!

SO I'VE
NEVER
THOUGHT
OF WANTING
TO BECOME
A BETTER
DRIVER OR
ANYTHING...



I CAN'T
GO TOO
FAST
UPHILL...

IF YOU
GO TOO
FAST YOU
DAMAGE
THE TOFU,
RIGHT?

HOW DO
YOU DRIVE
WHEN
YOU'RE
CARRYING
TOFU?

FARLAL...
CAN I
ASK
SOME-
THING?



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HE CAME
AS LONG
AS THE
WATER
DOESN'T
SPILL,
THE TOFU
WOULDN'T
BE DAMAGED
EVEN IF I
GO FAST.

POPO FILLS
A PAPER-
CUP WITH
WATER
AND PUTS
IT IN THE
BAG-
HOLDER,
WHERE I
CAN REACH
IT EASILY.







I CAN
DO IT!

100



NO WAY,
TAKUMI—
THAT'S A
JOKES,
RIGHT??

WHAT...
POFTING
WITHOUT
SPILLING
THE
WATER??

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THIS DAY
WON'T END
WITH ME
MOUNTAIN
STREET-
RACING...

THAT'S
INCREDIBLE,
BUT
YOU'RE
CREATING
AN UNFOR-
GIVABLE
ANTI-TYPE
STREET-
RACER.



WOULDN'T YOU
LET ME
SIDE
IN THE RACE-
GEAR AS
YOU ATTACK
JAPANESE
DOMINANCE??

I HAVE
A
REQUEST
...!!

TAKUMI
!!

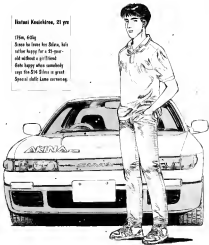
Vol. 16: Iketani's Valuable Experience

Iketani Kazuhisa, 21 yrs

175cm, 60kg

Since he drove his Silvia, he's
rather happy for a 21-year-
old without a girlfriend.

He's happy when somebody
says the Silvia Silvia is great.
Special shift Lane control eq.

















I GOTT
WATCH
CAREFULLY
HOW IT
OVERS
FROM MY
DRIVING AND
STEAL HIS
TECHNIQUES.

WE'RE
FINALLY
ENTERING
THE
FIRST
CORNER



TAKING
BRAKE...

HEY!!



HEY...

H





The night-eye entered the corner of a speed freak's driving-camera couldn't even imagine.



PEOPLE
SEE THEIR
LIVES PASS
IN FRONT
OF THEM
BEFORE
THEY DIE...

I'M
DEAD...



It looked so
late, that's
thought the
brakes were
broken!!

I'M
DEAD...

He remembers clearly
all 21 years of his
life, from his birth
to this day.

(Or so he felt.)

Michael
was it,
yes.

BUT.....!!





A shift from
4 → 3 → 2
the eye couldn't
even follow

[The manga from
last page up to here is
all in 0.4 seconds...]

Braking like
this means for a
dead person.
The weighted
rear fire
started to
boil



MINIMAL COUNTER-
STEERING OPPOSING
THE DRIFT, AND OF
COURSE FULL
THROTTLE
ACCELERATION!!

TAKUMA
HE'S
GREAT.

IT ENTERED
A CLEAR
4-WHEEL
DRIFT.





JUST WHAT
IS UP WITH
THIS CAR?

HOW CAN
HE EVEN
CONTROL
THIS...??



The edge
of the
guard-rail
was torn
off.

For Takumi,
this was
plenty of
room.

(He wasn't
really trying.)





Old car
tail on red
oil was
round
when the
speed
motor
was fixed.



BUT
THE
CORNER
IS...

BASH
AND NOW
THE BALL
IS
GOING
OUT



JUST
AHEAD



And then
listed in
the con-
trol headed
there at full
speed too.

THE 4-WHEEL-
DRIFTING EIGHTY-
FOUR HEADED FOR
THE OUTSIDE
GUARDRAIL AT
FULL SPEED.

EVEN GREATER
FEAR ATTACKED
IRITAN'S MIND
AS G-FORCES
HE HAD NEVER
EXPERIENCED
BEFORE
PRESSED AT
HIM VIOLENTLY.







HOW CAN
THE BELL
SOUND ON
THIS SHORT
STRAIGHT?

HERE—
IT'S
BACK!
SPACE
AHEAD!



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ブ
カッ
ブ

AND TAKEMI...

WITH FADING
CONSCIOUSNESS,
DARTARI TURNED
TO LOOK AT
TAKEMI'S FACE...



Takemi, totally
misplaced in the
company passing by
at a mad pace,
looked out as
much relaxed
as bored.



Was a driver
handling the
wheel with
as feeling
at all.



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ブ
カッ
ブ



WHY IS THAT...
IT'S TOO EARLY
TO HAVE BEEN
ALL THE WAY
DOWN AND BACK



WHAT... THE
LIGHT-BOX
IS BACK
ALREADY?



A new
legend has
started on
Mt. Akio.



HEY,
HEY!

The incident
of Belial
starting in the
third corner on
the downhill
of forest.

[That's how it
seems to be known.]



LET'S
GO TO THE
TRAIL-HEAD



Vol. 17: New Challenger!!











*shot of a Japanese street





TURBO POWER
IS A DOUBLE-
EDGED SWORD.
IT'S A POWERFUL
ALLY ON THE
STRAIGHTAWAY,
BUT IT'S DIS-
RUPTIVE WHEN
YOU ENTER A
CORNER.



THERE ARE
THINGS
WHICH YOU CAN
HAVE TOO
MUCH POWER.

I CAN
EXPLAIN
THAT.



ON A TECHNICAL
COURSE WITH
SHORT STRAIGHTS
THE CAR THAT CAN
GO FULL OUT WILL
BE FASTER EVEN
IF IT HAS LESS
POWER.



THE EIGHT-SEAL
ON THE OTHER
HAND, CAN
JUST STEP ON
IT ONCE IT'S ON
TRACK.



JUST WHEN
I THOUGHT
I'D HIT IT, I
ALREADY HAD
TO BRAKE FOR
THE NEXT
CORNER. IT
REALLY ANNOYED
ME.

CERTAINLY,
ON AVERAGE
DOWNHILL,
EVEN IN
TOTAL I
COULD ONLY
USE MY FULL
THUMP VERY
BRIEFLY.



SO
REINFORCED
TURBO-
POWER
BECAME
A DREA-
M-VENTURE.

TO
DEFEAT
A GT-R



HEY...
WAIT A
MINUTE...
... IT



THAT'S WHAT
YOU GET WITH
AN FR THAT
CAN ONLY
TRANSFER
POWER WITH
ITS REAR
TIRE...



WITH THE ST-B
SYSTEM THAT
ASSURES TRACTION
EVEN IF HE STEPS
ON IT, HE COULD
USE HIS TURBO
POWER FULL OUT...

WHAT
ABOUT
THE 4-
WHEEL
DRIVE
ST-B?
THEN
... IT



YOU'RE
OVER-
LOOKING
ONE IM-
PORTANT
THING

I
WONDER
ABOUT
THAT



DEFLECT
THE
EIGHT-
BOX...??

WELL
GETTING
AHEAD
OF US

THEN
COULDN'T
MANAGE
OTHER...



I'VE SEEN
A NEW
WORLD,
WITHOUT
A DOUBT...



FOR THE
FIRST TIME
IN MY LIFE,
I'VE SEEN
WHAT DRIVING
IS ABOUT

WATCHING
FROM
OUTSIDE AND
ACTUALLY
DRIVING
MAKES SO
MUCH DIFFERENCE...



WAS A
COMPLETE
EXPERIENCE



IS THAT
BLAT?

MORROW
I WANT
LOTS OF
THINGS
BEFORE I
FAINTER!



DON'T
YOU LOSE
CONSCIOUS-
NESS?

DO YOU
REALLY
SEE IT?



WHEN MY
DADA COMES
BACK, I'M
GONNA START
DRIFTING
SERIOUSLY...

I MAY BE EX-
AGGERATING
A BIT, BUT IT'S
LIKE MY WHOLE
VIEW OF LIFE
HAS CHANGED



NOW THAT
TAKUMI IS
GONNA, I
WANT TO
REPLACE THE
SPEED STARS
AS A REAL
STREET-
RACING
TEAM!

I'M
COMING!

WELL,
DRIFTING
IS FASTER
TAKUMI
SHOWED
THAT!!



THERE ARE
THOSE WHO
SAY DRIFTING
IS SLOWER
THAN DRIVING
BY CAR, BUT
I DON'T THINK
SO...







DRIVING IS...

BECOMING FUN...



SURE,
BUT I'M A
STRICT
COACH!



WHEN I GET
AN INSIGHT-BOX,
WILL YOU
COACH ME
AT DRIFTING?



WITH THAT
SERIOUS-
APPEARANCE
IN MIND,
COULD I ASK
YOU SOMETHING?

YES,
TAKUMA!



Hi.
Aaaa.







I'VE SEEN
HIM A LOT
RECENTLY...
DAMMIT,
I'M GOING
AFTER
HIM!

A
GT-R
IT



AND THIS
IS OUR
HOME
GROUND!!



RIGHT! THE
POWER GUP
IS NOT SO
IMPORTANT
DOWNHILL,
HELL, THERE'S
AN EIGHT-BOX
THAT COULD
BEAT AN F01

TRY NOT
TO LET
OUR PASS!



OUTTA
MY WAY,
BASTARD!

DAMN
DE-
MOCRACY







UNLESS THE
CONCRETE
SLICKS, IT
JUST CAN'T
BE DONE!

THAT'S HOW
IT IS... WITH
A WEAK CAR
AGAINST A
POWERFUL ONE.



IT'S
THROW-
ING FIRE
FROM
THE
EXHAUST!!

JUST
HOW
POWER-
FUL IS IT?

AGAIN
HE
SAYS! IT'S
ACCEL-
ERATION
WAS
JUST
WAT
DEFIN-
ITELY!



THERE'S
NOBODY
LEFT WHO
I HAVE TO
BE SERIOUS
ABOUT!



EVER SINCE
I JOINED
TO THIS,
THOSE WHO
WERE MY
RIVAL NO
LONGER
ARE.



THE
GT-016
A WON-
DERFUL
MACHINE.



IT HAD TO BE
A BATTLE SO
CLOSE IT MAKES
THE INSIDE OF
YOUR HEAD
GO ALL WHITE
FOR ME!!

THAT SLOW,
SHORRY
DRIFTING
THAT'S
FORGOTTEN
THOSE DAYS WAIT
FOR ME



I KNEW IT
AS SOON AS
I SAW YOU!
YOU'RE
THE RIGHT
OPPONENT
FOR ME!!

COME,
ACTUALLY
SIGHT-SEE!!



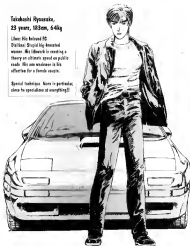




Takakashi Ryosuke,
23 years, 183cm, 64kg

Like: His beloved SC
Dislike: Stupid big-breasted
women. His hobby is creating a
theory on ultimate speed on public
roads. His one weakness is his
affection for a female cousin.

Special technique: None in particular,
since he specializes at everything!!





AREN'T YOU A
MEMBER OF THE
SPEED
STARS?

DON'T YOU
UNDERSTAND
ME...?



BUT I SURFS
I ALMOST
CAME TO THE
WIND
STAND

I HEARD
I COULD
CONTACT
THE
SPEED
STARS
HERE...

OOH
THAT
SOUNDS
SO NICE...

A MEMBER
OF THE
SPEED
STARS...?











I'M GOOD,
BUT I DON'T
GO DRIVING
UNLESS I
HAVE A
SPECIFIC
REASON



WHY???



IF, HYPOTHE-
TICALLY,
SOME
STREET-
RACER
SAID HE
WANTS TO
RACE YOU



HYPOTHE-
TICALLY

SAY
TARIK
TOLD ME



THE
F-100

THAT
PUTS
ME IN
TROUBLE

WHY
NOT?



HUH??
NO, I
WOULDN'T
ACCEPT
THAT



YOU'LL
ACCEPT
OF
COURSE,
RIGHT?











ITSLIKE

ACCEPTED
IT BY
ACCIDENT



L...



AT THAT TIME,
NEITHER
ZAKARI-SAMPA
NOR TAPARI
WAS HERE...
AND I...
JUST...

HAKAZATO
FROM THE
NIGHT HES
REALLY DO
COME HERE



WHY DIDNT
YOU TELL
ANYONE
ABOUT
SOMETHING
SO IM-
PORTANT?



AND
BEFORE
I KNEW
WHAT
HAPPENED
IT JUST
SLIPPED
IN.

I GOT
BOOTED,
AND TALKED
TO HIM
Pretending
TO BE A
MEMBER OF
THE SPEED
STARS...



I NEVER
THOUGHT
IT'D GET
BLOWN
UP THEN
THAT...

I WAS GOING
TO TELL YOU
BUT I DIDNT
HAVE ANY
GOOD CHANCE
TO BRING
IT UP.





MANIFESTO OF
THE NIGHT KING,
HELL, HE'S
ALMOST AS
FAMOUS AS
THE TANG-SHAR
BROTHERS
OF ANGE!

BUT THE
BT-0 IS
TOO BAD AN
OPPONENT,
EVEN FOR
TANG!

WHAT
THE
HELL
SHOULD
WE DO
?

AAAA

HOW CAN
I ASK HIM
TO DO
SOMETHING
LIKE THIS
?

DO YOU
REALLY
THINK
HE'S
EVER
GOT A
CHANCE?

IT'LL BE
A VERY
TOUGH
BATTLE.

Mr.
Allen



THAT'LL BE
SOMETHING
I HAVE
TO COME
SEE IT

I HEARD HER
RACING THE
SPEED STARS
EIGHT-BOX
THIS
SATURDAY!

THAT'S
MAKASATO
OF THE
NIGHT
KING,
RIGHT?

OH!
THE
GT-K'S
HERE
TODAY
AGAIN!



THERE'S
SOMETHING
ABOUT
THAT STING
ABOUT IT
THOUGH

MAKASATO OF
THE NIGHT KING
OULDBLOOD
THE EIGHT-BOX
TAKESHIKI
KESHO
COULDN'T
BEAT...

IF YOU PEEL OFF
THE FIRST LAYER,
IT'S A CLASH
BETWEEN THE TWO
GREAT PRINCES OF
THE TURKISH
BROTHERS OF THE
RED SLAM VS.
MAKASATO OF THE
NIGHT KING

ON THE
SURFACE
IT'S THE
SPEED
STARS VS
THE NIGHT
KING, BUT...

THIS IS
GETTING
BORING.
I CAN'T
TAKE ANY
MORE OFF

NO MATTER
WHO WINS,
I DON'T THINK
TAKESHIKI
BYOUNGHEE IS
JUST GONNA
STAND BY
AND WATCH





...GREAT?

IS THE
GT-8...



THE
GT-8?

COULD
YOU REAT
IT, FORT
DOWNELL

IT'S
GREAT

HEAR...



IT DOESN'T
MATTER IF
IT'S A STAR
OR A
POORER
OR RICH
EVER...

IT'S
WELL...

WOULD
I WIN?

IF IT
WAS
ME...









I KNOW,
SINCE IT WAS
AROUND THIS
HOUR THE
FIRST TIME...



I FIGURED
TO MEET
YOU IF I
CAME AT
THIS TIME



THERE ARE
BLASTERS
ABOUT YOU
ALL OVER
THE PLACE...

SO YOU'RE
RACING
NAKAGATO
OF THE
NEXT
KIDS...



I HAVE NO
INTENTION
WHATSOEVER
OF DOING
IT...

IT SEEMS
HE CHAL-
LENGED
ME WHILE
I WASN'T
AROUND,
BUT...



I HAVE
NO
PROBABILITY
OF SAYING
THE RACE
THE 27-0

JUST
SO
YOU
KNOW

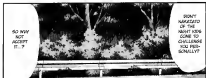
Vol. 19: I'm Not Afraid of No GT-R!!

Takemichi Itadaki, 18 years
163cm 55kg

Likes: Takemasa Itanaka (T) and all rare popular among streetracers.
Hobbies: FF, automatic diesel cars.
Looks up to his good friend Takumi's techniques and dreams of one day being known as the fastest eight-six combo on Akita.

Special techniques: Hill road
takeoff (love)













BUT DEEP
IN YOUR
HEART, I
KNOW
YOU LIKE
DRIVING!

YOU MIGHT
NOT HAVE
REALIZED
IT YOUR-
SELF,
BUT...



AND IF
YOU'RE
A STREET-
RACER,
TUNE UP
IN THE
BELL'S
YOU'VE
THOUGHT
YOUR-
SELF!

IF YOU
LIKE
DRIVING,
THAT'S
ENOUGH
TO BE A
STREET-
RACER!

I'LL TELL
YOU ONE
THING

YOU
BETTER
REMEMBER
THIS



I'M NOT
GONNA
RUSH! MY
BREATH
ON SOME-
ONE WHO'S
NOT
GONNA
DO IT!

I CAME TO
TELL YOU
ABOUT THE
WASH SPOT
OF THE OT-
HER TOWN IN
ABOUT, BUT...

AFTER
COMING
HERE JUST
TO MEET
YOU I'M
DISAPPOINTED

ACCEPTING
A CHALLENGE
IS A STREET-
RACER'S
PRIDE!



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DEEP IN
MY HEART,
I WAS
CRYING...IT

I HADN'T
REALIZED IT
MYSELF, BUT...



DAMNIT...I
THAT NIGHT
DO SO, BUT

NOW I'M
GETTING
WAS...IT



I JUST
DON'T
LIKE HIM

WHY SHOULD
I HAVE TO
ACCEPT A
BATTLE JUST
BECAUSE I'M
CHALLENGED
BY HIM?



HIS ON
LEFT
SIDE
TODAY?

WHERE I
THOUGHT



IT'S...

I'LL GO TO
MY APART
TODAY AND
APPROACH
TO THE
MAYBE NOW
ON...

DETAILS
MAYBE...
I...



SINCE I
NEVER HAD
ANYTHING
WITH THE
SPREAD
STORY TO
BROW
WITH?

I'LL
PROSTATE
MYSELF ON
DO NIGHT-
EVER IT
TAKES TO
GET HER
TO UNDER-
STAND...





WE'VE RAMP
OUT SINCE
WE WERE
BOYS SO I
KNOW HIS
PERSONALITY



I DON'T
THINK
TAKUM'S
ANY LAME
SERVING

SHOULDNT
WE TRY
ONCE
MORE TO
PERSUADE
TAKUM...



HIS MAY LOOK
DULL, BUT
ONCE HE SETS
HIS MIND HE'S
STURDIER AS
A RULE...

HE JUST
WANTS SHAM
ORDERED
ABOUT AND
TOLD WHAT
TO DO



TAKUM
DOESN'T
GET THAT,
HE'S
AGAINST
IT...

THE RULE
OF STREET-
RACERS
THAT YOU
ACCEPT A
CHALLENGE
NO MATTER
WHAT...



HE JUST
LIKE HIS
FATHERS

THAT
FOR
QUALITY

I SEE...

THAT'S
HOW
HE IS.

SHOULD
I SHOULD
STAY IN
MIND

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OH, GOOD
NIGHT!



THE
CLEARED
UP
OUTSIDE

BSSD



AM. MAY
A MINUTE,
FORGIVE—

WELL, I'M
OFF NOW.



THE
OPPONENTS
JUST TOO
GOOD?

YOU
BETTER
NOT DO
IT!



AM.



YOU'RE
SLEEPING
A BIT
TONIGHT?

WELL, I
SINCE
OVER-
HEARD

I KNOW
IT ALL,
YOU SEE

OH, I KNOW,
YOU DON'T
HAVE TO
SAY IT!

ACTUALLY,
I...

OH -
NO -

I KNOW MOST
OF IT. IT'S
NOT BAD
AND ACCEPTED
IT ON HIS
OWN, RIGHT?

I KNOW IT'S
NOT A BATTLE
YOU ACCEPTED
BECAUSE YOU
WANTED TO

HAH!

HE
WOULDN'T
REALLY
GET IT!

WELL, NOT
YET.

BUT YOU'RE
TOO RICH,
TAKING LONG
TIME JUST TO
GIVE FACE
FOR YOUR
FRIEND!

HE'S
TROUBLE.
THAT
THING...

SINCE YOU
DON'T KNOW
CURE WELL,
YOU DON'T
REALLY KNOW
WHAT KNOW
CAN BE
AT-R-R, RIGHT?

IT'S JUST
TALK. YOU
FORGET
THE OTHER



THAT
GREAT,
BOSSE?

DO THE
STUFF.



SINCE ITS
DRIVE SYSTEM
COMBINES THE
BEST POINTS
OF MR AND
MRD, ITS
ALMOST LIKE
CREATING!

ITS
BEYOND
GREAT!
IT'S SO
SPECIAL!

HIS
EYES
CHANGED!

NOT
HIM!
HE
TOOK
THE
BAT.



IT'LL GET
DONE IF
YOU PUSH
IT JUST
A LITTLE.

SINCE THE
PLUMB CAN
STAND BEING
PUSHED TO
BOD-BODD!
AT THE PACE,
PUSHING OUT
POWER IS
SIMPLE!

AND THE
PO-SS
THEN TUGS
AT ITS
HEART IS A
MONSTER!

IT'S VERY
STABLE,
SO IT'S
FAST
SOMEHILL
TOO!



THE OTHER
GUYS A
PRETTY
FANCUS
STREETRACED
YOU RIGHT...?
IT'S TOO
WASTE

AN DON'T-SEE
ALREADY A
STD, THAT'S
JUST TOO
WIDE A GAP
TO ACCEPT...

IF THE CARB
WERE MORE
EVENLY
AUTOMOB. I
DON'T THINK
ANYONE
COULD BEAT
YOU, BUT...



HE SAID
IT'D BE
A CLOSE
BATTLE...

THIS
ISN'T
LIKE
WHAT
POP
SAID...



SMART GUYS
DON'T RACE
SOMEONE
THEY HAVE
NO CHANCE
AGAINST...

YOU MADE
A NAME FOR
YOURSELF
AGAINST THE
BEST TEAM,
DON'T TALKIN'
IT AWAY!

HEY,
ARE YOU
LISTENIN'
TUPHONY?

SO...



I DON'T
CARE ABOUT
GETTING A
NAME FOR
MYSELF AS A
STREETFIGHTER.
OR ANYTHING...

I'M SORRY,
SINCE YOU
WENT
TO THE
TROUBLE
OF
WARNING
ME, BUT...



RIGHT?

LISTEN
TO YOUR
SLOUCH!



NO MATTER
WHAT I SAY?

CHAPTER 3

SO YOU'RE
NOT
GOING
TO
QUIT
...?



HAVING BEEN
TOLD HOW
DUMB IT IS,
I WOULD
SEE FOR
MYSELF!

I'M NOT
CLUTING...



I DON'T
THINK IT'S
GOING
WELL...

I GOT
HURT
THE WAY
SEVERAL
TIMES

JUST THE
ROAD
REACTION
AS HIS
FATHER

POE

POE??

WELL
POOR, HE
SHOULD
WORK
HARDER!

WHAT'S THE
TEMPORARILY
CLOSED? I
DON'T HEAR
OF THIS!

Temporarily
Closed.

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Tells

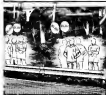
POE







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LET'S GO
TRY TO
CONVINCE
TAKUMI
ONE MORE
TIME...!

I
HAVEN'T
GIVEN
UP HOPE
YET...



NOT
BEFORE
HE'S
TRIED
IT

YOU
DON'T
KNOW
THAT,
DO
YOU...



I DON'T
REALLY LIKE
THAT EITHER,
THOUGH...
FORCING
TAKUMI OUT
TO A BATTLE
HE CAN'T
WIN.

THIS IS A
MOUNTAIN
PASS... AND
ON AKINA'S
MOUNTAIN
PASS, WHERE
TAKUMI HAS
BEEN DRIVING
FOR FIVE
YEARS, YOU
DON'T KNOW
WHAT MIGHT
HAPPEN!

IF THIS
WAS THE
CIRCUIT,
THAT MIGHT
BE SO,
BUT...

THE
OPPO-
NENT IS
MURA-
ZAKO'S
ST-R!

OF
COURSE
HE CAN'T
JUST
THINK
ABOUT IT
CALMLY!
HOLDS A
STREET-
RACER
TOO!











I'M...
STARRING,
ITSUKI-SAN!

GET IN,
ITSUKI!
WHAT'S
THE MATTER?

MAKE A
U-TURN!
KUNIO!...
WE'RE
OFF TO
MADHARA
TOP SECRET!



WE
JUST
HAVE
TO GO
CONVINCE
TAKUMI!!



I
GET
IT...



I
JUST
CAN'T
FACE
TAKUMI...

THERE'S
NO POINT
IN MY
GONE...



WE'LL
GET
TAKUMI
HERE
FOR
SECRET!!

WAIT
UNTIL
THE
LAST
MINUTE,
ITSUKI!!



I WANNA
GO TO MT.
AKINA SO
BADLY I
CAN'T
STAND
IT...

WHY IS
THIS... I'M
FEELING
SO DAMN
IRRITATED
...



THAT'S
HOW I
FEEL...

I HAVE
FOUNO
IN THE
DRILLS
I'VE
LEARNED
BY DRIVING
ON ALL
BY MYSELF
FOR FIVE
YEARS.



I'M
NOT SURE
MYSELF
WHETHER I
REALLY
LIKE
DRIVING
ALL THAT
MUCH,
BUT...

I WANNA
CHALLENGE
THAT GT-R
EVERYONE'S
SAYING IS SO
GREAT WITH
ALL I'VE
GOT...

I WANNA
SEE HOW
GOOD
THOSE
SKILLS
ARE...

MY
DREAM TO
RACE JUST
KEEPS
GETTING
STRONGER.

I'VE
NEVER FELT
LIKE THIS
BEFORE... I
CAN'T GIVE
UP EVEN
THOUGH
THERE'S NO
CAR...



JUST
WHERE
IS HE?

DOHN
DIE
ALREADY





I THOUGHT
IT MIGHT BE
A BAR, BUT
I TRIED
CALLING ALL
I COULD
THINK OF...



DON'T
YOU
KNOW
WHERE
HE
WENT?



THERE'S
NO POINT IN
CONSIDERING
YOU
WITHOUT
THE SHOGU-
SEN...

DAMNIT
WE DIDN'T
EXPECT
THIS...



AND
YOU
DIDN'T
GET
HOLD
OF
HIM?



IT'S A
MAJOR THING
AT THE
MOUNTAIN,
THERE'S
HUNDREDS OF
PEOPLE...

WELL...

DID
YOU COME
HERE TO
CONVINCE
HIM?

SENPAI...



BUT
YOU'RE
TODAY'S
STAR,
TAKUMI...

BOTH
AKAZAKI
OF THE
RIGHT SIDE
AND THE
TAKAMURA
BROTHERS
SEVERAL ARE
AMONG
THE
GALLERIES,
BUT...





PLEASE
STOP
SAYING
THAT, IT'S
NO GOOD.

WAIT,
TUNE
OUT.



ACTUALLY,
I WANT
TO GO
RIGHT
NOW...

THAT'S
NOT IT



SO YOUR
FEELINGS
WO'NT
CHANGE...

I
SEE.



I'VE
BEEN HERE
FEELING
BAD ABOUT
MYSELF

BUT
WITHOUT
THE CAR,
WHAT CAN
I DO...



WHAAAT?!



DON'T
YOU KNOW
ANY OTHER
PLACE YOUR
FATHER
MIGHT GO?

SAY,
TAKUMI!

THANK
YOU
FOR
THAT
REACTION

THIS
IS
TOO
SAFE

PARADE!



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BUT
WHILE WE'RE
OFF LOOKING
THERE MIGHT
BE A
PHONECALL
FROM A
BAR OR
SOME-
THING

I TOLD
YOU TO
CALL ME
IMMEDIATELY
IF SOMETHING
HAPPENED

WHAT IF
WE GO
LOOKING IN
MY CAR?



SAY,
TAKUMI...
IF WORSE
COMES TO
WORSE,
HOW ABOUT
RACING IN
KENJI'S
ONE-
EIGHTY?!



I
SEE...



THAT'S
NO GOOD,
SENPAI.

IT'S AN F2,
AND IT'S GOT
A TURBO SO
THERE'S POWER
TO BURN...
WITH YOU IN
THE SEAT IT
SHOULD BE
PLENTY FAST



IT HAS
TO BE OUR
CAR, THE
ONE I
ALWAYS
DRIVE.

I WON'T
RACE IN
SOMEBODY
ELSE'S
CAR.



ANYWAY,
I'LL WAIT
TO THE
LAST
MINUTE...



GOING IN
SOMEBODY
ELSE'S CAR
IS NOT
A GOOD
THING
AMONG
STREET-
RACERS.

Let's

THAT'S
TRUE.



WAIT WITH
YOU HERE,
TOO...

WE'LL

I'VE
GIVEN UP
TO GO
ALREADY,
BUT...

OUT WHEN
POP JOHN
DRINKS.
HE'S
USUALLY
AWAY UNTIL
MORNING.



PLEASE,
COME
BACK...

WHERE
ARE
YOU,
POP...



SO IT'S
9-40
NOW...

WHAT
TIME IS
IT...





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THEY GOT WORRIED
AND HAD
TO COME...

FIGURED
AS MUCH...

THE
TAKAHASHI
BROTHERS
FROM THE
RED GUNDS
ARE HERE...

TAKASHI-
SAN.

I'LL
BLAME HIM
BY BEATING
THE RIGHT-ONE
RIGHT BEFORE
HIS EYES...

FOR A
TWO-
EYES
TYPE, HE'S
NOT
MUCH

THAT DAMN
TAKAHASHI
BROODER...
HE TOLD ME
STRAIGHT
TO MY FACE
TO LOSE...

THAT'S
LIKE
TAKASHI-
SAN'S
FAVORITE
PUNISH...

THERE
IT IS...

THAT COYT-
DRIVER
WILL NEVER
BEAT COYT-
DRIVER...

WITH
GALLERIE
THE LADDER.
IT'S A GOOD
CHANCE TO
PROVE
SOMETHING
TO THEM...





THE TIME
WHEN YOU
CAN WIN BY
DRIFTING
IS OVER.
I'LL SHOW
YOU.

HURRY
UP AND
GET
LOOSE,
BEHOLD!
EIGHT-
EIGHT.



DIDN'T
HE SAY
HIMSELF
HE DIDN'T
WANT
TO?

WILL HE
REALLY
COME ..



HE MEANT
THAT
EIGHTEEN
DOESN'T
SHOW
UP UNTIL
THE LAST
MOMENT.

AND
LOOK
AT
THE
CLOCK.



HE'LL
COME
FOR
SURE!!



I'M
SURE
HE
WILL...



NO, HE'LL
BE HERE,
BRO...



YOU BETTER
HURRY, TAKUMA,
IT'S ALMOST
TIME!!



SO, I'LL
BE USING
THE CAR,
POPT



WHAT'S
HAPPENING...

HE HAD
A DIFFERENT
LOOK IN HIS
EYES THAN
USUAL...



I AM
ONE OF THE
SPEED STARS
TOP THREE,
AFTER ALL!

DOWNHILL
IS ONE
THING, BUT
THERE'S
NO WAY A
NON-TURBO
WOULD
BEAT ME
UPHILL...

I HAVE
A 3-LITER
TURBO...

I'M SORRY,
SKETCH, BUT
THAT'S A
TEN-BOX
NON-TURBO...

WE'RE
AT THE
MOUNTAIN
AT LAST
CAN YOU
KEEP UP,
KING?





HEL...

TURBO
POWER
FULL
THROTTLE!



WE'RE
OUT!



THE
EIGHT-BOX
DISAPPEARED!

HE'S
GONE...



SO TAKUMI'S NOT
COMING AFTER ALL.
THEY COULDN'T
PERSUADE HIM...

FIVE
MINUTES
LEFT TO
12 O'CLOCK...



THIS
IS MY
RESPON-
SIBILITY.
IT'S GOT
NOTHING
TO DO
WITH THE
SPEED-
RACING

IT
SHOULD
BE ME
ALONE
GOING...

SHITAGI-
SEMPAI
TOLD ME
TO WAIT,
BUT...

I'LL
GIVE UP
AND GO
APOLO-
GIZE...













YEAH,
HE LEFT
FOR ME.
RAMEN ALL
EATEN...

TAKU-
MI?

OH, IT'S
YOU?



HELLO,
FUCHI-
MURA
TOPU



OH,
SEE
SOMETHING?



HIM WANTING
TO GO DRIVING
HIMSELF. IT'S
LIKE A BOLT OUT
OF THE BLUE
SKY. IS IT GONNA
SNOW TOMORROW
OR SOMETHING?

WHAT'S UP
WITH THIS
YOUNG...



CAN HE
WAIT

DID
YOU GIVE
HIM ANY
ADVICE...

TODAY'S
DRIVING
ISN'T A GOOD
IDEA?

OH,
YEAH,
SUNNY



WELL, THE
SON OF
A PROO
IS A PROO
AFTER
ALL*

IT
WOULD
SHOW
IN THE
SLAMMER,
YOU
KIDDER...







HE
WON'T
LOSE...



I GOT NO
ANNOYED
WHEN I
SAW HIS
FACE. HE'S
AN ENERGY
AFTER ALL...

I MEANT
TO, BUT I
CHANGED
MY MIND...



THE GT-GT'S
WEAK SPOT
IS THE SUPER
FRONT HEAVY
MAKING IT
UNDERSTEER



WELL,
FRANKLY,
IT'S THE
HEAVY
BODY



THE
GT-GT'S
WEAK
SPOT...



EVEN
IF HE'S
TURNED THE
BRAKES



IF HE KEEPS
GOING ON A
HARD DOWNHILL,
IT WILL HURT
THE FRONT TIRE
AND BRAKES
WITHOUT FAIL.

EVEN IF YOU
COUNTER IT
WITH DRIVING
TECHNIQUE
AND TUNE THE
SETTINGS, IT
WON'T CHANGE
THE BASIC
CHARACTER-
ISTICS.



HIS
CHANCE TO
WIN WILL BE
AN ENTRANCE
MATCH IN
THE SECOND
HALFT

BY THE TIME
THEY REACH THE
BOTTOM, HE'LL
BE FIGHTING THE
UNDERSTANDING
WHEN ENTERING
THE CORNERS...



TO THE
KEYPOINT
TO THIS
BATTLE!

WHETHER THE
BOUT-BOX
CAN KEEP
UP WITH THE
OTHER LAMPS,
THEN...





IF YOU COMPARE
THE CURRENT
SETTINGS WITH
BEFORE, THE
TIME WHEN HE
CAN GO FULL
THROTTLE IS
INCREASED...

I USUALLY COMPROMISE
A BIT WITH
THE SETTINGS
FOR WHEN
HE DRIVES
TOP-G

SURELY
ONLY IF
YOU'RE
PROF.
NO...

DON'T YOU
GET IT, KAWASAKI?
WITH AN FR,
IF YOU'VE
GOT THE
SKILL, UNDER-
STEERING IS
BETTER...

HE SHOULD
BE ABLE TO
HANDLE IT

IF YOU'VE
GOT THE
SKILL...

INITIAL

D

Shuichi Shigeno

TEACHER,
I'M IN
YOUR
HANDS!

I'M SO
IMPRESSED...
GETTING TO
DRIVE IN
THE FRONT-
SEAT OF MY
DREAM!

A bonus as thanks to
the unexpected popularity.

THE
FIRST
PUPIL IS
ME!

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WHEN
YOU GET
OUTSIDE
FOR LAMP
FRASE
IT'S IN
NO PROBLEM

TV

WATCH ME
CORRECTLY
THE FIRST
TIME...

FOR THE
ABSOLUTE
BEGINNERS,
LET'S DO
THE HAND-
BRAKE
DRIFT...

GO,
STUDENT
ITSUKI...

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FIRST, YOU
DECELERATE
PROPERLY
WITH THE
FOOT
BRAKE.

THIS IS
RECOMMENDED
FOR BEGINNERS.

AT FIRST, STARTING
AT A
LOW-SPEED
CORNER LIKE
A HARBOR IS
PROBABLY BEST.

SINCE
YOU
PULL
THE
HAND-
BRAKE
AFTER
YOU
STOP.

ALWAYS
PULL
THE
HAND-
BRAKE.

WHILE
KEEPING THE
FOOT-BRAKE
LIGHTLY
PRESSED,
TURN THE
STEERING
WHEEL ABOUT
THIRTY DEGREES
TO YOUR RIGHT HAND.

BE CAREFUL
NOT TO TURN
THE
WHEEL
TOO
MUCH.

LINE, THIS
MIGHT BE
A BIT
HARD...
THIS IS
THE
POINT...

LEAVE
ENOUGH
SPACE
THAT
YOU'LL
FEEL...

You need to cut the clutch, but you probably realize that...

HERE YOU PUSH THE ACCEL DOWN!!

AS SOON AS YOUR REAR SLIDES OUT, DROP THE HAND-
BRAKE AND RETURN YOUR
LEFT HAND TO THE STEERING
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THEN
YOU PULL
IT ALL
AT ONCE!!

AS YOUR
REAR SLIDES
OUT YOU'LL BE
ENTERING INTO
ACCELERATION
CONTROL ...

PUSHING
FULL-THROTTLE
WHILE YOUR
TIRE'S ARE
SLIDING MIGHT
BE SCARY, BUT IF
YOU CAN'T DO
THIS, YOU'LL
NEVER BE ABLE
TO DRIFT.

READERS,
DON'T TRY TO
COPY THIS YET.
I'LL SHOW HOW
TO STOP THE
DRIFT ...

BAM!
YOUR BRAIN
AND YOU
SLIDING
ABOUT,
STRUCK!

YOU'LL LET
THE FRONT 6
GO ALONG THE
CORNER'S
R... HA...

WASNT
THAT SIMPLE?
THEN, WHILE
ADJUSTING
THE FRONT
AND REAR
BALANCE...

There, is
he confused.

May you drive in getting
nailed over the street

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